

Some years ago Congress passed what is known as the Civil Service Act, the object of which is to secure competent persons for Federal positions regardless of their political opinions. The bosses and professional politicians always looked with disfavor on the Act because it interfered with their business. They did not want men appointed to positions under the Government which they proved themselves at competitive examinations qualified to fill, as they wanted such places distributed as rewards for political services. A clause in the Civil Service Act prohibits the levying of political assessments on Federal employees. This clause has been utterly ignored by National and State Central Committees. The men who run these political machines claimed the right to assess those who held Federal official positions, the money collected from that source being used as a campaign fund to assist the party in power. Some of the members of the Commission appointed to carry out the provisions of the Civil Service Act objected, and as the politicians persisted in collecting assessments, there was a clash of authority. The Supreme Court of the United States held that the Act was constitutional, and that it forbids Government employees to solicit or receive money from each other for political purposes. This, however, did not deter the politicians from collecting from clerks and employees in the departments, custom houses, etc., so the Commission proceeded in the name of the United States against Charles Newton, one of the collectors, for violating the Civil Service Act. The case was appealed on demurrer to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. That court overruled the demurrer and held that all solicitations for political purposes within Government buildings are unlawful. Commissioner Thompson of the Civil Service Commission thinks the effect will be to practically stop political assessments and leave Government employees free to contribute or not, as they see fit, to campaign funds. It is a complete vindication of the course of the Commission which holds that no person in the employ of the United States should be discharged for refusing to pay assessments for political purposes.

CONGRESS AND THE NEXT PRESIDENT.

Governor-elect Flower of New York has written a congratulatory letter to Mayor Chapin of Brooklyn, who has been elected to Congress, in which he gives his views on the political situation. He says upon the action of the present Congress will depend the election of the next President. If it succeeds in reducing the expenditures of the Government to \$100,000,000 or more, thus making a surplus by which the next administration can revise the tariff, it will have given us an issue that will win before the people. "You will find," says Mr. Flower, "the revenues of the Government mortgaged to the extent of \$10,000,000 in the shape of a sugar bounty, and no man knows how much more for shipping bounties. It will be more credit to you and your colleagues if you can show at the end of the first session that economy has been the watchword of the Democracy, and an easy victory will await the party in 1892."

Mr. Flower, who was a member of the last Congress, which appropriated more money than would pay the national debt, through no fault of his, as he voted against every extravagant measure, and knows something of the popular feeling on the subject. The people of the Empire State endorsed his course, and he takes it for granted that the people of the United States will endorse the party of economy at the next Presidential election.

Flower, as Congressman, made an excellent record. He introduced measures which did not pass, and voted for others, among them a free coinage bill, which met the same fate, though all were good. His constituents in New York appreciated his services and elected him Governor of that State by the largest majority given a candidate for twenty years, save when the nomination of Folger by Federal influence gave Cleveland a walk-over. He is a sound, sensible, successful business man who has risen from the common walks of life to the highest position in the gift of the people of the greatest State in the Union, and his advice to Congressmen deserves their most careful consideration.

In the five States of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Louisiana and Mississippi there is an aggregate of nearly 12,000,000 acres belonging to the United States and subject to entry under the homestead law; and the amount of State lands yet available for settlement is about 13,000,000 acres.

All the tenants of the 150 houses in Uniontown, N. Y., have been ordered to vacate in six days by the Union Iron Company, which owns the place.

BY TELEGRAPH!

News of Importance From Home and Abroad.

The Farmers' Alliance Captured.

INDIANAPOLIS, November 19.—One point in yesterday's proceedings of the Alliance escaped the press till an early hour this morning. That was the commitment of the Supreme Council to a third party movement. This came about through the adoption of a resolution instructing the Alliance members of Congress to enter the party caucuses.

The net result of to-day's session of the farmers' organizations are that the People's Party has captured the Alliance and the Alliance has split on the sub-Treasury scheme.

The Executive Committee of the anti-sub-Treasury party will at once begin the work of organizing a new Alliance. The capture of the Alliance by the People's Party, while practically accomplished some days ago, was not apparent until to-day when President Polk was unanimously re-elected, J. H. Loucks of South Dakota was chosen Vice President, J. H. Turner re-elected Secretary and Treasurer and J. E. Willette of Kansas elected National Lecturer. Polk in his annual address Tuesday night so severely condemned the old parties, and so strongly indicated his tendencies to the People's Party movement that his re-election is regarded as a great victory for the People's Party. The committee on confederation of various industrial organizations at a meeting to-day referred to the sub-Treasury Committee, consisting of Messrs. Ferrell, Taubert, and Baumgartner, the question of calling a congress of all the labor and industrial classes to meet February 22nd next.

When the assembly convenes it will draw up a platform, declarations and demands, and the two great political parties will be requested to give them consideration and endorsement. It is not expected that the two great parties will not take any notice of these demands, and the way will remain clear for the People's Party to call a convention and adopt the formulated demands of the confederated labor assembly as its platform. This is the plan of action now determined on by the People's Party. The Confederate Assembly of Industrial Unions, as it is called, aims for the consolidation of all laboring classes and subsequent diversion of the whole strength of the gigantic combination into the ranks of the third party.

Will Investigate Foker Tom's Death.

BRECKENRIDGE, Cal., November 19.—A Grand Jury was impaneled in the Superior Court here yesterday. Judge Videns charged them to investigate the death of Foker Tom, the Indian who was found dead some months ago, as well as the killing by Indians of a Chinaman named Ah Quong Tia, whom they believed to be guilty of murdering Tom, and whom they tortured to death as punishment. The Judge added in this connection, it has been asserted and published broadcast that the officers of this county court were present in Bridgeport and neglected to perform their sworn duty as peace officers, reflecting not only deeply upon such officers, but casting disgrace upon the county itself. This also demands your serious consideration. It has also been publicly charged that the attorneys, also officers of this court, have unlawfully embezzled a portion of the property of the deceased Ah Quong Tia. This also demands at your hands careful investigation.

Hawaiian Affairs.

BALTIMORE, November 19.—Cesar Moreno, the Washington American agent of the National Party of Hawaii, was in Baltimore last night. He had several letters from the leader of that party in Honolulu that tell of a strong political ferment there. The Hawaiian leader, who was one of the revolutionists in 1890, asks Moreno to see Secretary of State Blaine and find out what attitude the United States would assume towards a proposed change of government effected in the Pacific Islands. His letter also particularly begs that the Secretary will keep his hands off the domestic affairs of the Hawaiians, and that he will not permit ships of the United States Navy to interfere against the interests of native revolutionists, who are expected to assert themselves and overturn the present government, dethrone Queen Liliuokalani and set up a republic before the Hawaiian election which would, in the natural order of events, be held in February.

Murderer Almy's Fight for Life.

PLYMOUTH, N. H., November 19.—The counsel for Almy, on trial for murder, began his argument when the court opened to-day. He admitted murder but only in the second degree. A strong effort will be made to secure a sentence for murder in this degree.

Concord, N. H., November 19.

Several hundred people met the train on which Almy arrived from Plymouth. The prisoner was surrounded by Sheriff's and members of the police force, who escorted him to the barge which was to take him to prison. As he approached the barge, cries of "hang him," "lynch him," "string him up with ropes," etc., were heard, but the officers finally lodged Almy in prison where he was assigned to the murderer's cell. He will, if sentence is carried out, hang in December, 1892.

The Mining Congress.

DENVER, November 19.—The session of the Mining Congress was delayed in meeting this morning through the tardiness of delegates, in consequence of attending the drilling contest last evening. Battle broke all records in the way of double-handed drilling, and defeated the champions of Colorado.

The Committee on Credentials reported that 559 delegates were present from thirty-one States and Territories.

Niles Searles, ex-Chief Justice of California, was recommended for permanent Chairman, and it was decided to discuss a number of subjects, among which was that of the coinage of silver. The report was adopted.

Did Not Know It Was Poison.

RHINELANDER, Wis., November 19.—Houston and Wm. Brown wound up a drunk last night by emptying a pint bottle of whiskey which contained twenty grains of morphine in addition to the liquor. Both are dead. Mrs. Houston says she is a morphine user. She dissolved twenty grains in whiskey and put it in a closet for her own use. She did not know the men drank it, and when she found the bottle empty this morning it was too late to save them. The Coroner's Jury is investigating.

A Bogus Dispatch Causes Excitement.

CHICAGO, November 19.—Members of the Board of Trade are indignant over the circulation on the Board yesterday of an alleged cablegram from United States Minister Smith in Russia, saying a ukase had been signed referring to the prohibition of wheat exports. Wheat jumped up a cent, brokers rushed in to corner and the losses were extremely heavy. Later it was learned that the dispatch was bogus. Brokers have demanded that the Directors make every effort to ascertain the source of the false reports and if the culprit is detected he will be made an example of.

Maryland's New Senator.

WASHINGTON, November 19.—Governor Jackson of Maryland to-day orally tendered to ex-Representative Charles H. Gibson in this city his appointment to be United States Senator from Maryland until the Legislature fills the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Wilson. Colonel Gibson accepted the offer.

Oklahoma Wants to Become a State.

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., November 19.—The Commercial Club of this city has issued a call for a convention to be held in Oklahoma City on December 15, composed of delegates chosen from each political division of Oklahoma and Indian Territory, to discuss the advisability of Statehood and boundary lines of the proposed State.

Influenza in France.

PARIS, November 19.—Influenza has re-appeared in many places in the southwestern part of France and the disease is of a very severe type. In Paris, too, the disease has claimed a number of victims. Many cases are reported from all parts of the city. A large number of deaths from the disease have occurred.

W. F. Baird Held to Appear.

MADISON, Cal., October 19.—W. F. Baird, accused of forgery, was arraigned before Justice McDonald this afternoon, and held to appear before the Superior Court with bonds fixed at \$1,000 on each of the five charges. He gave bonds.

Ah Kew, the Chinaman who died Wednesday.

Ab Kew, the Chinaman who died Wednesday of paralysis, or some kindred ailment, was buried yesterday. He was what is called a Chinese Freemason, and a large number of the brotherhood attended his funeral, carrying triangular shaped flags of different colors. The cortege was headed by a band of Chinese musicians and a wagon containing rice and roast pig to feed the spirit of the dead Chinaman on its way to the Flowery Kingdom brought up the rear.

It is reported at Washington that

Baron Fava will return to his post at the head of the Italian legation in the United States, and that the "Mafia" incident at New Orleans will be forgiven by Italy and forgotten by the United States.

Billion valued at \$11,434 72 has been

sent to the Carson Mint from the Con. Cal. & Va., the first shipment on the November account. So says the Tribune.

Miss Mary Hoffman and two young men,

sons of Mr. Lapelle, were asphyxiated at Anderson, Indiana, night before last by escaping gas from a stove.

The Ancient Schoolmaster.

A roll measuring about fifteen feet long, containing poems hitherto unknown of Herodius in Season or Chomble meter, has just been exhibited in the manuscript department of the British Museum. One of the poems is entitled "The Schoolmaster." A mother appears before the master called Lampiscus. She is accompanied by her son, and entreates the pedagogue to flog him within an inch of his life because the boy is the terror of her existence. He has nearly ruined her by playing pitch and toss, he associates with the lowest characters of the town, and if he is asked to spell the name of Maron he turns it into Simon; in fact, he has entirely got beyond the control of his parents. Lampiscus therefore fetches his instrument of correction, which is made of cowhide, and applies it without mercy. The boy howls and promises to be good, and when the schoolmaster thinks that the youth has had enough he tells the mother to keep him a close prisoner for some time to come.—Manchester (England) Guardian.

About Furnaces.

In placing your furnace in your new house, always remember that lateral pipes never give out much heat. The hot air must invariably ascend to produce a current, and therefore we see very often a register in the third story giving out splendid heat, when in the extension library, where warmth is particularly desired, the air of the room is hardly affected at all. In a large country house it would really be better to have two small furnaces rather than one large one. Less coal would be used to more purpose, and they would not be much more troublesome to tend than is one. But if you have two, do not make the mistake of putting them side by side, as was done in a very large house near New York. This simply intensified the heat in the same part of the house without carrying it into the wings, where it was chiefly needed.—New York Tribune.

An Aeronaut's Experience.

A story is told of the thrilling experience of a veteran aeronaut with a bald eagle and a Connecticut constable. During a recent ascension, when at a height of 8,000 feet, the balloonist was attacked by the eagle. A desperate fight ensued, which resulted in the eagle being killed. Half fainting, the aeronaut descended to terra firma. When he had recovered he hunted for and found the dead bird. While he was examining his prize the constable came along and arrested him for killing the bird, for which offense, he claimed, a fine of \$50 is imposed. The aeronaut, it is related, had more difficulty in escaping punishment than he had in killing the bird.—Boston Journal.

Weighing Mosquitoes.

It is told of a great author that he was wont to amuse himself by jumping over a chair. But I have a correspondent who, as the following shows, amuses himself by weighing mosquitoes: "I have recently weighed some mosquitoes of this locality on a sensitive balance. The average weight of one mosquito was 1.27 milligrams—that is, it would take 380,000 to weigh a pound. "Mosquitoes which had filled themselves with human blood were found to weigh about three times as much as others, showing that they had swallowed twice their weight in blood."—Boston Globe.

Buried in Silver.

William L. Scott was buried in a magnificent coffin, the manufacture of which required seventy-six pounds of solid silver, besides quantities of silk and broadcloth. The undertakers say that within their recollection only one other American, Samuel J. Tilden, ever had his mortal clay housed so elaborately. The use of gold bars and solid gold plates on expensive caskets is not unusual, but so lavish a use of solid silver is unprecedented.—San Francisco Argonaut.

The Surest Way.

First Order—I didn't see you in bathing this season.
Second Order—No. When I want a bath I go canoeing.—Good News.

BORN.

MARZEN—At Truckee, Cal., November 19, 1891, to the wife of Joseph Marzen, Jr., a daughter.

DIED.

LATNEY—At Folsom, Cal., November 16, 1891, M. D. Latney, aged 74 years. Nashville, Tenn., papers please copy.

Wanted.

To sell 20,000 raspberry bushes at a nominal price. Apply at once to JAMES SULLIVAN, Reno, Nevada.

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Notice. Left some place where I am known, a sack of quartz specimens. Party having same please leave word at this office. J. R. NOVAK. nov18wt

For Sale. I have a few pure bred Brown Leghorn Cocks for sale at \$2.50 each—Who wants them? Now is the time to improve your stock. Lock Box 54. E. A. MOORE. nov16wt

For Sale. A furnished house on Commercial Row costing \$4,000, and in good condition. The whole, including piano, will be sold if applied for at once, for \$2,700. Terms to suit. BRADSHAW & STEWART, No. 5 Front Street, Reno. nov 18th.

Lost. In the vicinity of the Grand Central Hotel, a gaudy sack of quartz specimens, of no value to any one except the owner. A liberal reward will be paid to the person returning the same to the Grand Central Hotel. J. A. R. NOVAK. Nov 19th

Wanted. By a woman, a situation to do general housework, in town or in the country. Apply at this office. nov14tw

School Teacher. Wanted at Hufaker School District. Male teacher preferred. Apply at once to G. W. Hufaker. nov14tw

Farm to Rent. J. E. Foulks desires to rent his homestead farm situated near Essex. For terms apply to him. nov10tf

Wanted. To rent for a term of months a furnished house of from four to seven rooms. Apply to Bradshaw & Stewart, No. 5, Front street, Reno, Nevada. nov10tf

Wanamaker & Brown. The largest dealers in gentlemen's clothing in the world are now represented at No. 5, Front street, Reno, Nevada, by their sales agent, T. F. Bradshaw. Call and see the finest line of samples ever opened in this city. Material, make and fit guaranteed. nov10tf

Musical Instruction. Beginning with Monday, August 17th, I will take a class in music, piano or organ lessons. For terms apply at my home on Fifth street, between Nevada and Railroad. MISS MAMIE B. RULE.

Lost. On October 12, between Reno and Steamboat, a gold breastpin, which turns on a pivot, a cameo on one side and a photograph on the other. The finder will please leave at this office and receive a suitable reward. nov8tf

Fred Kline. Has engaged with the Reno Manufacturing Company, where he is prepared to manufacture and repair harness, saddles, etc. at the lowest price in Reno. Give him a call. jyt14tw

Take Notice. Heating, Cook stoves and ranges of all prices and varieties at LANGE & SCHMIDT'S. sel12tf

GRAND CARNIVAL AND Masquerade Ball. One buggy horse, light spring wagon and harness. Also house and lot. Apply to this office. oct30tf

KNIGHTS OF HONOR,

AT THE PAVILION, RENO, THANKSGIVING NIGHT, Thursday, November 20, 1891.

MASKER'S TICKET, - - - \$1.50 Admitting Gentleman and Ladies.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS OPENED IN THE Arcade Hotel, first-class Ice Cream Parlors and Restaurant, and will serve patrons with Soda, Candies and Confectionery.

And serve the same in private booths and family dining rooms, free from observation or intrusion. PARTIES SUPPLIED. GIVE ME A CALL. sel12tf H. J. GREENBOWER.

The Late Col. Don Platt.

The death of Don Platt, at Mac-o-Chee, Ohio, on November 12, was a complete surprise to his friends, as the indisposition from which he had been suffering was not regarded as dangerous.

Don Platt was born in Cincinnati June 19, 1819. He prepared for the law, and was elevated to the Common Pleas bench at a very early age. From the bench he passed to the place of Secretary of Legation at Paris, where for nearly a year subsequently he was, Charge d'Affaires. He made the legation headquarters for the Rep. Republicans. Pierre Soule, Louis Blanco and many other prominent Radicals were his fast friends. When the civil war broke out he volunteered as a private. He was elected captain, and at night studied over the drill which he gave next day. Gen. Schenck offered him choice of positions on his staff and he served under that gentleman until nearly the close of the war. He was in the first and second battles of Bull Run, at Cross Keys and McDowell's. Secretary Stanton put him on the court that investigated the loss of Harper's Ferry, and he wrote the finding of the court. He was then made Judge-Advocate of the commission that investigated Gen. Buell. As Chief of Staff under Gen. Schenck he freed the



slaves in Maryland. This brought his military career to an abrupt conclusion and he returned to the law. As a journalist and editor he gained a reputation that is world wide. He was a fluent, ready and witty writer, and his contributions to the Cincinnati Commercial and Washington Capital commanded the earnest attention of the public. After Col Platt's retirement from active journalistic work he resided quietly at his country home, the same house in which he died. He was called from this retirement in 1888 to found Bedford's Magazine in New York. After one year of that work he returned to Ohio and engaged upon an extensive biographical history of Gen. George H. Thomas, which was almost completed at the time of his death. His latest work for the press was a series of letters on the issues and candidates of the campaign of 1888. Col. Platt belonged to a Kentucky family, but lived mostly in Ohio, where he was for a time a member of the Legislature. He was twice married, and his second wife, for many years an invalid, survives him.

THE LODI FRATRICIDE.

Particulars of the Murder of Alfred Welch.

The Austin Advocate gives the following relative to the killing of Alfred Welch, Superintendent and owner of the Lodi mines, in Nye county, by his brother, Manuel Welch:

Last Saturday, Alfred said that he was going to Downeyville after his brother, Manuel, who had arrived at the latter place, and would return that evening, which he did, bringing his brother with him. Sunday morning the two brothers sat at the same table to breakfast and seemed to all appearances to be on amicable terms. The two men arose from the table together and went to Alfred's horse and were there but a few minutes when Mr. Bodinna—who was standing about 50 yards from the house—saw a man standing in the door, when all of a sudden the man in the door fell on the outside as though he had been struck. Mr. Bodinna did not hear the pistol shot. About the time he saw the man fall, Elgie, a nephew of the deceased, came up where he, Bodinna, was standing, and on being told what had occurred proceeded to the house and found that his uncle Alfred had been shot through the heart by Manuel.

Mr. Bodinna thinks that the pistol must have been held very close to the deceased as his clothes were badly burned and that those who heard the shot say that it had a muffled sound and no attention was paid to it. The pistol used was of small caliber.

The cause of the shooting is not known, as the murderer offered no explanation, but seemed to be greatly excited, and he said he was going to Downeyville to give himself up to the authorities, which he did, and was taken to Lone and placed in jail. Sunday an inquest was held over the remains but revealed nothing as to the cause of the killing, but charged Manuel Welch with killing Alfred Welch without cause or provocation.

Monday evening Louis Welch and James Collins arrived in Austin with the remains of the deceased, which were placed in Fireman's Hall and embalmed by the physicians and undertaker.

Wednesday morning the remains were shipped to Illinois for burial, Louis Welch, a brother, accompanying the remains.

A small electric headlight for bicycles is being introduced. It will burn for ten hours without refilling the cells it contains.

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BUSINESS, LOCAL AND NEWS ITEMS

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Fine eastern hams and Bacon at W. S. Bailey's.

Hot lunch at Kerib's every day, ten cents with beer.

Go to the Palace Bakery for fresh whole-some bread, cakes, pies and candies.

A new and choice selection of wall paper just received at McCullough's drug store.

Coffin & Larocomb have just received a lot of pure maple sugar direct from Vermont.

H. F. Pavola has just received a fine stock of boots and shoes. Call and examine them.

Fine imported cigars and tobacco, also gloves, cutlery, notions, etc. at A. Nelson's.

Missouri has sent her famous female road agent, Della Oxley, to the Penitentiary for five years.

A varied assortment of Heath & Mulligan's mixed paints can now be obtained at McCullough's.

A Nelson is sole agent for the Detroit Free Press cigar, the best 5-cent cigar in the market. Try it.

Fine lunch every day at H. J. Thyges, from 11 to 2 p. m. Baked beans, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Beef, mutton, pork, veal and sausages of the very best quality at Rube & McDou's on Commercial Row.

Don't forget that F. Levy & Bro. are selling their immense stock of dry goods, etc., at lower prices than ever.

Jack Godfrey serves a first-class meal and fresh oysters in every style at the Palace Restaurant. Meals at all hours.

If you want a No. 1 White or Domestic or any good second-hand sewing machine call at McCullough's drug store.

Dr. T. Wah Hing, English and Chinese physician and surgeon. Office opposite First National Bank, Reno, Nev.

Baths for children at 2 cents, and for grown people at 5 cents, have been opened in New York with the Baron Hirsch fund.

John Sunderland has a fine stock of French and English goods and is turning out some finely finished suits to order. His tailors are first class workmen.

J. G. Kerth manufactures all kinds of soda water also sarsaparilla and iron, orange sizer and the very best of beer. Send in your orders. Families supplied on short notice.

For your note, letter, legal and foolscap paper, patronize C. J. Brookings, who also carries writing tablets of all styles and sizes.

The chrysanthemum is queen now in almost every leading city. The annual show is conspicuously announced in many papers.

A horse owned in Louisville, Ky., is over forty-seven years old. He is known as Ivanhoe, and bears on his right flank the scar of a gunshot wound received at Buena Vista in the Mexican War.

The Palace Ho., which is well and favorably known to every old Nevadan, is being conducted as usual by that veteran landlord, Al White, who spares neither pains nor purse to provide for the comfort and convenience of guests.

The town of Selma, Ala., has a most remarkable artesian well. The well is provided with two tubes, one which spouts pure, cold water, the other warm water impregnated with sulphur and iron.

Those who contemplate renovating their houses should not forget the immense stock of wall paper at the store of the Reno Mill and Lumber Co., on Second street, next door to the Postoffice.

There was a protest because a brass band of ten pieces was established as a feature in a Philadelphia Methodist Church. But the pastor scored a point when he argued that the prodigal had been welcomed by his brethren with a brass band of music.

We wish to inform the public that we keep the lowest priced house in town, where all kinds of refreshments, meals, lunches, fine liquors, native and foreign wines, draught beer 5 cent cigars and well ventilated lodgings with good beds can be obtained. Our continued good business is in itself a recommendation, and we wish to increase it. Let all those who have never come before, and those who have, now come the more. Stroh & Block, Commercial Row.

Free Water.

Parties in Reno having good wells or a place for one are throwing away money in paying water rates, when by a small investment plenty of pure water is at their command free of cost. One good well will supply water for several families, who by joining in the expense of erecting a windmill, tank, etc., can not only effect a saving in expense, but be independent of a monopolizing water service. A visit to the Water Company's reservoir and ditch at times will convince the most skeptical that well water is the doctor's enemy, while surface water is the direct agent in bringing business to his office.

Constant pumping issues pure water from all good wells, hence the quality of well water cannot be judged properly from only occasional pumpings. Many unused wells would furnish plenty of pure, clear water if properly pumped.

Can you afford a pumping plant of your own? We will answer for you, Yes.

We are prepared to take contracts this Winter to erect any sized windmill plant required, with proper tank and service connection, furnishing them on a monthly installment plan, warranting all work and taking proper care of all mills so erected.

Plans and specifications free upon application. Anti freezing pumps and protected pipes insure equally as good Winter service as in Summer. For further particulars call on

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Electro-Plating.

H. A. Waldo is constructing, in connection with his local telegraph battery, an electro-plating apparatus, and will soon be ready to do all kinds of gold, silver, nickel and composition plating. He is now prepared to plate or replate spoons, knives and forks, etc., and make them as good and nice as new. The plating is no wash, but is a heavy coating of melted metal applied to the article, which is durable and will not scale off. Those having table knives, forks and spoons which they wish replated will do well to give him a trial.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It is disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, and at once get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhoea, regulates the Stomach, and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives Tone and Energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

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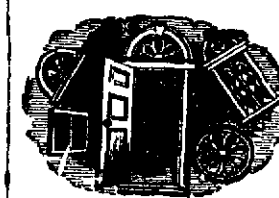
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